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Hi Stephen,

Thanks for your call last week and for the email.

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Hi Herminia:

Followup from our conversation (see emails below). I believe both ATSDR and TX DSHS would be available for any input into the health assessment.

Thanks,

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Hi Steve!

Per our telephone conversation a while ago, Marilyn Christian and Dr. Latrice Babin will be the only persons involved from HCPHES in the health assessment phase of the project. I am copying both of them to let them know.

Marilyn Christian is the Senior Manager of Program Policy & Planning for HCPHES's Environmental Public Health Division and Dr. Babin is the Administrator of the Division's Environmental Toxins Control Programs.

Thanks!

Bud

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Hi Bud, Marilyn,

For the San Jacinto site, there will be a health assessment coming out. The primary contacts for that health assessment is:

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I just spoke with Dr. Beauchamp, and he is willing to converse with you on this topic. Feel free to contact him and let me know if you have further comments or questions, thanks.

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